Docket No.: 057454-0093



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Customer Number: 20277

Shinichi KOBAYASHI, et al.

Confirmation Number: 2071

Application No.: 09/843,165

Group Art Unit: 2824

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For:

ELECTRICALLY PROGRAMMABLE AND ERASABLE NONVOLATILE

SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY DEVICE AND OPERATING METHOD THEREFOR

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2008, now due to expire January 21, 2009, be extended for two (2) months and set to expire on March 23, 2009 (March 21 and 22, 2009 falling on a weekend).

Please charge the extension fee of \$490.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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